

FLOODING YAZOO DELTA

HEAVY VOLUME OF WATER POURING THROUGH LEVEE IN MISSISSIPPI.

CREVASSE OF GREAT SIZE

Break in the Embankment Said to Be Six Hundred Feet in Length—Report Caused Great Excitement at Greenville, but People There Not Alarmed to Be in Danger—Many Lives Reported Lost.

Greenville, Miss., March 28.—A volume of water 16 feet deep and over 600 feet in length is pouring steadily through a crevasse in the levee five miles south of here and is flooding thousands of acres of the finest farming lands in the celebrated Yazoo delta.

The break in the levee occurred at 11 o'clock a. m. and the roar of the rushing waters can easily be heard in Greenville. Only 200 feet of the embankment gave way at first and mighty efforts were made by hundreds of laborers in charge of the government engineer to check the flood by cribbing and sacking, but it was soon apparent that it was beyond human power to successfully combat the fury of the current. An hour later it was seen that the ends of the levee on either side of the crevasse were melting fast, the force of the current cutting the embankment away as though it were built of sand.

When the first report of the break reached this city the excitement was intense and many people began to collect their valuables and hold themselves in readiness to move away at a moment's notice. The back water has reached here, but it is believed that there is no danger, as the water will pass rapidly to the southward.

Worst Break Yet Recorded.

Major John M. Sears, who has charge temporarily of the government offices here, states that the break is unquestionably the worst in the history of the levee system. He says the entire delta south as far as Vicksburg will be inundated and the fine farming lands in Washington, Bolivar and Sharkey counties will be under water for more than two weeks. This is the first break to be reported on the Mississippi side since the present rise began.

Major Sears says a desperate struggle is being made to prevent the further widening of the breach by riveting the ends of the levee and strengthening them with sand sacks.

Reports from the interior are meagre, but it is believed the people were fully prepared for a break and the loss of life, if any, will be reduced to a minimum, though the loss of stock may be quite heavy. The damage to plantations and the interference with planting cannot be estimated.

Another break on the Mississippi is reported in the Albemarle levee in lower Louisiana county, but the damage from this break will not be heavy.

Many Lives Reported Lost.

The situation at midnight grows worse for Greenville. Work on the protection levee through Main street has been abandoned and water has reached Washington avenue, the highest point in the city. Appeals for help have been coming in all night from the Tuxedo and race track additions, and relief boats are being sent continually to their relief. The news comes from these additions that people were seen clinging to roofs of houses and rafts to escape the rising waters. Many lives have been reported lost, a woman and five children perishing in one house.

The southern part of the city is entirely under water. Houses are filling up and their inmates are securing rooms upstairs.

The city is in total darkness, water having put out the fires in the electric light plants. All the convicts from Huntington came in at midnight and work will be resumed throwing

up a protection levee on Washington avenue or Main street.

THREE PASSENGERS BURNED TO DEATH

Nineteen Others Injured in a Collision on the Southern Pacific Railroad in Texas.

San Antonio, Tex., March 28.—Three passengers were burned to death and nineteen persons were injured in a rear-end collision at La Costa station, twenty miles west of here, on the Southern Pacific.

The dead are: Guadalupe Contee, Antonio Arizpe, and Manuel Trevino Santo, all of Mexico.

E. L. Collins of St. Paul, Minn., is among the injured, his head being hurt.

The limited crashed into the Eagle Pass express, which was running as the first section of the former train. The Pullman sleeping car and private car of General Geronimo Trevino, military commander of the department of the state of Nuevo Leon, Mexico, were splintered and three kinsmen of General Trevino were burned to death before they could be extricated from the burning cars, which were ignited by escaping oil from the tender of the limited engine.

PRESENT THE BOND

Action of American Delegates Further Complicates Chinese Indemnity Situation.

DEBT IS PAYABLE IN GOLD

Other Ten Powers Have Misconstrued Protocols According to This Action.

London, March 28.—The Times correspondent at Shanghai cables that the American delegates on the bankers' commission, under instructions from Washington, presented the indemnity bond for signature by the Chinese representatives. The text of the bond states that it is issued in accordance with Article VI of the Peking protocol. As Article VI records that the debt is payable in gold or its equivalent at the rate of exchange corresponding to the dates of maturity, the American government's action, says the correspondent, is equivalent to a declaration that the other ten powers have misconstrued the protocol and complicates future negotiations. The gold bonds presented by the other delegates remain ignored, the Chinese attitude being one of simple non possumus.

The powers, except the United States, have insisted on the payment of the Chinese indemnity on a gold basis. A Washington dispatch, Jan. 2, gave the position of the United States in this matter. It said: The United States, which is equally interested with the other powers in getting as much money as it can in the shape of indemnity, still feels bound by moral law to support the Chinese contention for the silver basis, looking not only upon the language of the protocols and the Peking treaty itself, but also a solicitous regard for China's integrity and perpetuity as a nation.

A dispatch from Peking, March 17, said that a meeting of the foreign ministers was held that day for the purpose of considering the Chinese note refusing to issue the indemnity bonds until the foreign ministers had submitted to their governments the question of the payment of the customs duties on a gold basis. A majority of the ministers favored maintaining the demand for the bonds.

FATHER AND SON KILLED.

Tennessee Constable Returns Their Fire With Deadly Effect.

Knoxville, Tenn., March 28.—James Flowers and his son John were killed in Monroe county by Constable Horace Wilt, who had gone with a posse to the Flowers' home with warrants for the arrest of both father and son. As the posse approached the Flowers' home it was fired upon and the shots were returned by the constable, with the result that both James and John Flowers were killed.

REOPEN THE INQUEST

INQUIRY INTO DEATH OF BURDICK TO BE RESUMED ON MONDAY NEXT.

NEW WITNESS TO TESTIFY

Bartender of Hotel Where Mrs. Burdick Was a Guest in New York City Will Tell What He Knows About the Case—Cashier of the Place Will Also Be Called—Pennell Inquest to Follow.

Buffalo, N. Y., March 28.—Before the inquest into the death of Arthur R. Pennell is begun next Monday the inquest into the Burdick case will be reopened by Judge Murphy at the request of District Attorney Coatsworth. This will be done to introduce the testimony of Alexander J. Quinn, formerly a bartender in the Roland House in New York, who says he heard Arthur R. Pennell threaten to kill someone. The remark was made by Quinn within the hearing of the cashier of the place. The cashier also will be subpoenaed to appear Monday.

After Quinn and the cashier have testified the Pennell inquest will begin. It has been stated that a man saw Pennell walking about the Hegres quarry the day before the automobile took its fatal plunge, but the police deprecate the value of evidence offered upon this point.

Other witnesses will be William Lannen and George Dunbar, who saw the automobile go into the quarry; George Volk, the saloonkeeper who sold Pennell whiskey for himself and wife; Wallace Thayer, attorney, and residents of Kensington avenue and cross streets who say they saw the automobile being driven back and forth in that region in the rain and then saw the hood lowered just a few minutes before the vehicle went over the edge of the rocks.

Body Will Not Be Exhumed.

Medical Examiner Danzer stated that he had not expressed any belief that Mrs. Pennell was drugged and that there was no probability her body would be exhumed to search for traces of a drug.

The authorities are investigating a story told by Della Leary, a domestic employed in a house near the Burdick home. They do not expect to learn anything that will throw light upon the mystery surrounding the Burdick tragedy, but following the established policy of investigating every suggestion of a clue, Miss Leary's story will be looked into. She says that about 10 o'clock on the night preceding the murder she saw a woman in the vacant lot adjoining Burdick's. The woman was dressed in black, Miss Leary claims, and acted queerly. That is about all she claims to know about her. The authorities may ask Miss Leary to make a sworn statement, but they have little hope of gaining anything tangible.

STATEMENT OF QUINN.

Bartender Says Pennell Visited Mrs. Burdick at New York Hotel.

New York, March 28.—Police Inspector McCluskey refused to deny or confirm a report that he had been asked by the police of Buffalo to get a statement from Alexander J. Quinn, a bartender, who, it was said, heard Pennell threaten to kill Burdick.

Quinn, who was employed as a bartender at the Hotel Roland when Mrs. Edwin L. Burdick stayed there, said: "Pennell visited the hotel while Mrs. Burdick was staying there, but I am not now at liberty to make a statement of what was said. The story, as it is told, is not correct, however. He did not say anything about waiting until a week before the trial to kill Burdick."

"Did he say anything about killing Burdick?" "That I must decline to answer now." The proprietor of the hotel Roland said that Mrs. Burdick stayed there three days in December. He did not believe Pennell was there during the time. He declared that Mrs. Burdick received no visitors while she was there.

Later Quinn said he had been subpoenaed to appear on Monday at the inquest in Buffalo.

LYNCHING IN PROSPECT.

Negro Assaulted a Little Girl and Is Arrested.

Bluefields, W. Va., March 28.—Harvey Williams, a negro, assaulted Mary Jones, the thirteen-year-old daughter of a white miner, and left her for dead on the mountain between Pocahontas, Va., and Cooper, W. Va. After regaining consciousness, the child managed to reach her home. Several possemen immediately went in search of the negro and he was located near Pocahontas, taken to Bramwell and lodged in jail. The jail is heavily guarded, but information from Bramwell points to a lynching and probably a burning before daylight. Williams' victim will die.

Jailed After a Battle.

Waverly, Ia., March 28.—Daniel Allen and William Way, who recently broke out of jail at South Sioux City, were arrested and placed in the Waverly jail after a battle. The men are wanted in Nebraska.

STATEMENT ON "CORN WHEAT."

Department of Agriculture Says So-Called Grain Is Polish Wheat.

Washington, March 28.—The department of agriculture reports that an enormous number of letters is being received at the department from farmers in all parts of the country asking for definite information concerning a so-called new grain called "corn wheat" and usually at the same time requesting samples for trial.

The department authorized the statement that there is no such thing as corn wheat and that it is probable no hybrid of corn and wheat could be produced, or at any rate, one that would be fertile. The grain which caused the newspaper publications, the department says, is known correctly as Polish wheat, though the grain is not native to Poland, however, at the name might suggest, but its original home probably is somewhere in the Mediterranean region. The heads and grains of this wheat are very large, all the grains being in many cases actually twice as large as those of ordinary wheat.

The experiments made by the agriculture department and by experiment stations in a few places show that the yield is rather disappointing. From experiments so far made the inference would be that the grain would be very good as a hog food. Polish wheat is much restricted in its adaptation and the department says could not be successfully grown anywhere east of the Mississippi river, but only in the great plains region, in Washington, Idaho, Montana, and other parts of the Mountain and Pacific states where grain is usually grown. It has great resistance to drought. The department of agriculture has no seed of the grain in stock.

OF INCENDIARY ORIGIN.

Fire Destroys Business Houses at Tyler, Tex.

Tyler, Tex., March 28.—Fire of incendiary origin destroyed a row of two-story brick business houses and most of their contents. Loss, \$200,000.

ENTHUSIASM WANES

Irish Land Bill Not Looked Upon in Parliament as Favorably Now as Formerly.

ONLY CHANCE OF EXISTENCE

Said to Lie in Doubtful Possibility of All Parties Accepting Bill in Generous Spirit.

London, March 28.—In the lobbies of parliament the opinion regarding the Irish land bill is rather less enthusiastic. It is recognized to be a measure of such complexity that its only chance of existence lies in the rather doubtful possibility of all parties consenting to accept it in a generous spirit and that an active opposition from any quarter must inevitably wreck it. The Nationalists already are displaying restiveness. Lately they have rather consistently supported the government in the division lobbies, but at night on a private member's bill of little consequence, they voted against the government, with the result that the ministers only escaped defeat by the narrow majority of thirteen. Had the Irishmen been present in their full strength, instead of only fifty-five of them being in the house, the government would have been defeated. This uncertain attitude of John Redmond's supporters is giving the government great anxiety and it is believed that, if the Irishmen show a carping spirit toward the land bill, many Unionist supporters of the government will counsel its withdrawal on the ground of its unpopularity among the British electors, who are already smarting under the burdens of a heavy war taxation.

NEGROES STEAL DIAMONDS.

Two Dusky Thieves Obtain About \$4,000 Worth of Stones.

Minneapolis, March 28.—Diamonds to the value of \$4,000 were stolen from the jewelry store of S. Jacobs & Co., 515 Nicollet avenue, and Chief Conroy and the members of the detective department are bending their energies to apprehend the thieves.

The police have a good description of the two men, and as they are both negroes, the chances are they will not escape.

One negro visited the store and was shown some diamonds, but decided not to purchase. Later he returned with another negro, and after they had looked at some stones they left without buying any. The clerk discovered nearly an hour later that about \$4,000 worth of diamonds were missing.

WESTERN RAILROADS COMBINE.

Oregon Lines Preparing to Merge Their Interests.

Ogden, Utah, March 28.—Railroad officials state that the Oregon Short Line and the Oregon Railway and Navigation company are to be consolidated with Manager Bancroft of the Oregon Short Line as president and E. E. Calvin of the Short Line as vice president and general manager. It is stated that the headquarters of the combined roads will be removed to Portland and the present headquarters of the Short Line at Salt Lake will be turned over to the Clark road, which company has purchased the line south of Salt Lake.

Railway officials directly interested in the reported change deny all knowledge of it.

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RELIEVED OUTRAGED FEELINGS.

Irishmen Pelt Actors With Rotten Eggs and Ancient Fruit.

New York, March 28.—Two hundred Irishmen, whose feelings had been outraged by the performance of "McFadden's Row of Flats," at the new Star theater, rose in their seats in the theater at a signal and pelted the performers with rotten eggs, decayed vegetables and fruit.

The audience of over 2,000 was thrown into an uproar and the actors were driven from the stage.

The affair was the culmination of a series of attempts to bring the performance of this play to an end and to stop forever the production of such plays.

ENDS IN MURDER.

Two Brothers Quarrel and One Stabs the Other.

Grand Rapids, Mich., March 28.—Clyde W. and Archie Whittel, living with their parents near Sparta, engaged in a fatal quarrel at their home. Clyde snatched up a butcher knife and plunged it into his younger brother's breast, just above the heart. Archie died and Clyde has been arrested.

DEFEAT SAN MIGUEL.

Macabebe Scouts Engage Main Body of Insurgents.

Manila, March 28.—Two companies of Macabebe scouts have signally defeated the main body of San Miguel's force.

It is believed San Miguel was killed. Lieutenant Reese was seriously wounded.

The scouts lost three men killed and had eleven men wounded.

It is hoped this defeat will discourage disorder in Rizal province.

The military authorities will direct the campaign against the bandits who raided Surlago, Island of Mindanao. The constabulary are co-operating with the troops.

RETIRE FROM STOCK MARKET.

Gates Intends to Devote His Time to Other Business.

New York, March 28.—The Herald says: It was learned yesterday that it is John W. Gates' intention to retire permanently from active participation in the stock market, and that in the future he will devote such of his time as he will spare to business to those concerns in which he is heavily interested.

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SATURDAY, MARCH 28 1903.

Weather.

Fair and warmer.

GROVER's third term star is keeping Bryan awake nights.

THERE are those who say Doc. Ames could be elected mayor of Minneapolis. Now that the doctor has hung out his shingle and began the practice of medicine he probably would not care to take chances.

THE citizens of St. Cloud are rejoicing over the statement that the railroad shops of the Great Northern at Waite Park will be sufficiently enlarged to admit of the employment of 500 men and that the work has already begun.

THE senate has recommended to pass the bill introduced by a special committee, fixing the bounty for full-grown wolves at \$7.50 and for cubs at \$1. The measure is a compromise between the bills introduced by the house committee on towns and counties, and by Senator A. B. Cole, of Fergus Falls. The house bill fixed the bounty for full-grown females at \$15 and males at \$10; Senator Cole's bill fixed the bounty at \$3 for females. The wolf carcass must be exhibited with head and ears to the town clerk, who will issue a certificate to the county auditor. A fine of from \$25 to \$100 is imposed for fraudulently collecting bounties.

The Rumor Confirmed.

A change of time will occur on this division of the Northern Pacific road, which will go into effect April 1. The only local change known at present will be the addition of the new passenger train on the branch line from Morris to this city and return. The rumor that the new train will be put on has been confirmed from headquarters and Conductor Day, who has been in charge of one of the accommodation trains on that line, will leave Brainerd next Wednesday morning with a caboose attached to his freight train instead of the passenger coaches as in the past. The freight, however, will carry passengers, thus giving the branch towns two trains carrying passengers each way a day.—Little Falls Transcript.

D. M. Clark & Co., oldest and largest installment house in the city. Goods sold on easy terms.

Reilly is giving 25 pounds of sugar for \$1.00

Meeting of Merchants.

There will be a meeting of the merchants of Brainerd at the council chambers on Monday evening next at 8 o'clock, to consider some very important matters. This meeting will take the place of the one which was to have been held on last Tuesday evening.

By order of,

THE COMMITTEE.

Just received a carload of fence wire at D. M. Clark & Co. 30-1f

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LOCAL NEWS NOTES.

Hon. A. F. Ferris came up from St. Paul this afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Frazer Smith left for Little Falls this afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. M. Cullen, of Staples, are visiting in the city.

J. C. O'Keeffe, the Minneapolis tailor, is in the city on business.

Dykeman & Lukens new wagon shows how their trade is increasing.

Miss Minnie Anderson returned to her home in Wadena this afternoon.

Attorney DeLury, of Walker, was in the city this morning on legal business.

Express Messenger Frank Scherman, of St. Paul, was in the city this morning on business.

Albert Stephens, an engineer, was taken to St. Paul this afternoon for treatment for his left eye.

Miss May Candee, the music teacher, returned to her home in Minneapolis this afternoon.

Miss Carrie Sykora has taken a position with Mrs. J. K. Pearce and will learn the millinery trade.

Father Wurm, of Aitkin, passed through the city this afternoon on his way home from a trip west.

Dr. Forbes passed through the city this afternoon en route to Little Falls where he will spend Sunday.

Miss Helen Murphy left this afternoon for St. Paul where she will visit for a few days with friends and relatives.

J. M. Canfield is down from Walker and will visit at the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. K. Pearce over Sunday.

Miss Feltus, the popular teacher in Walker schools, passed through the city this afternoon en route to Motley where she will visit over Sunday.

Mrs. E. A. Zuber, who was operated on a few days ago at St. Joseph hospital, is getting along nicely and will be able to be out in a short time now.

W. J. F. Miller, has returned to Brainerd from Duluth and has taken his old position in the office of the Minnesota & International in this city.

Mrs. M. J. Reilly returned this morning from St. Paul and Duluth. At the former place she attended a state board meeting of the L. A. of A. O. H., of which she is an official.

C. L. Hillstead, who has been at Aitkin making arrangements to take charge of the Foley hotel, passed through the city this afternoon on his way to Wadena where he will spend Sunday.

B. S. Whitman, C. M. Erskine and C. I. McNair, of Cloquet, were in the city this morning on business. Mr. McNair returned to Cloquet this afternoon on No. 12.

Jos. Mayhew of the firm of Taylor & Co., Nicolet avenue, Minneapolis, is assisting J. C. Congdon in the decoration of the interior of the new Werner Hemstead residence.

This morning at an early hour the fire department was called to the home of Mr. and Mrs. George A. Keene. The blaze was a small one and was extinguished before any damage was done.

The chorus class of the Ladies' Musical Club will meet next Monday evening, March 30th, at the home of Mrs. A. E. Moberg. Those wishing to join this class are expected to be present.

Supt. W. H. Strachan, of the M. & I., came down from the north this morning.

General Manager Gemmell, of the M. & I., returned from St. Paul this morning.

Miss Anna C. Veigel is on the sick list today and is not able to be at work at Mrs. J. K. Pearce's millinery store.

F. J. Kline, superintendent for Walker & Akeley, in their logging operations, was in the city this morning on business.

Mrs. Fred Boor, who has been visiting in the city with her sister, Mrs. C. H. Kylo, returned to her home in Minneapolis this afternoon.

Mrs. Schefveland returned to her home in Audubon, Minn., this afternoon after a pleasant visit in the city with her brother, A. M. Johnson.

W. H. Sadler has returned from one of the northern camps of the Brainerd Lumber Co. Mrs. Sadler, who has been quite seriously ill, is much improved and is now on the road to recovery.

Mrs. R. H. Veigel is packing her household goods which will be shipped to Everett, Wash., where Mr. Veigel has located. Mrs. Veigel and the other members of the family expect to leave for the west in about three weeks.

Monday evening at the Metropolitan bowling alley there will be a match game between two of the best teams in the city. An admission of 25 cents will be charged and the proceeds will be used to send a team to the state tournament at St. Paul on April 20.

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THE MARKETS.

The following range of prices on the Minneapolis market today is furnished by Edwards, Wood & Co:

	May	July
Wheat—		
Opening	72½	72½
Highest	72½	73½
Lowest	72½	72½
Closing	72½	72½

The following are the cash closing prices on the Minneapolis market:

No. 1 Hard	\$ 0.75½
No. 1 Northern	74½
No. 2 Northern	73½
No. 3 Yellow Corn	42½
No. 3 Corn	41½ to 42
No. 4 Corn	38 to 41
No. 3 White Oats	32½
No. 3 Oats	30 to 31½
No. 2 Rye	47½
Barley	40 to 52
Flax cash or to arrive	1.11
July	1.12½

The Chicago closing prices are as follows:

May wheat	\$0.72½
July69½
May Corn43½
July43½
May Oats33
July30½
May Pork	18.05
July	17.25
May Lard	10.07
July	9.85
May Ribs	9.82
July	9.65

Wheat—Cables were all slightly higher. Our markets inclined to be firm early but sold off sharply towards the close on account of profit taking sales and in some instances sales for short account. Primary receipts about one-half less than a year ago. Fair and warmer predicted for Sunday. Every day now lessens the possibility of any damage to winter wheat.

Corn—The market has ruled decidedly firm throughout the day.

Oats—The market ruled slightly easier most of the day under some selling pressure by those desiring to let go.

Provisions—There was very little trading either way. Receipts were light, price changes unimportant and the market was without special feature.

DELUGED WITH BILLS

HOUSE FLOODED WITH NEW MEASURES, TWENTY-SIX BEING INTRODUCED.

ANOTHER ANTI-BOARD OF CONTROL MEASURE APPEARS IN THE SENATE.

St. Paul, March 28.—The deluge of bills continued in the house, twenty-six being introduced and running the total up to 317.

The public examiner's affairs took up considerable time. The Burns bill, cutting out part of his fees, was passed but not till after an amendment had been tacked on, permitting him to retain the \$600 or thereabouts which he receives from the City of St. Paul for examining certain offices. He must give up the profits from inspecting the affairs of building and loan societies.

When Nyquist's boiler inspection bill came back from the senate, W. A. Nolan attempted to sidetrack it by reference to a conference.

Nolan's motion was voted down and the bill passed.

The house played horse with the Stevenson resolution appropriating \$100 for decorating the house chamber on the occasion of the president's visit.

When the resolution had been adopted by a vote of 69 to 24, Mr. Shearer declared that it would look pitifully small to appropriate \$100. That idea struck the house favorably, and Mr. Stevenson's motion to expunge the resolution from the journal was adopted.

Representative Fryberger's resolution, commending Public Examiner Johnson, was adopted after some opposition.

A bill by Mr. Hickey provides that the death of a member of a limited partnership shall not operate to dissolve the partnership, but that the business may be continued under the original agreement, as far as it concerns the other parties.

The Buck anti-board of control bill was made a special order for Thursday afternoon at 2:30.

Double-Salaried Officials.

State Auditor Iverson submitted a report of those state employees, drawing more than one salary or salary and per diem, as requested by the house, following is the list.

The governor, attorney general and state auditor receive \$5 a day as members of the state board of equalization, during a session from twenty to twenty-five days a year, in addition to their salaries.

Secretary of railroad commission, salary, \$1,800 and \$600 as register of grain department.

W. W. Folwell, professor at university, \$2,400, and librarian, \$500.

E. B. Johnson, university registrar, \$1,400, and secretary of high school board, \$600.

Dr. H. M. Braeken, professor, \$1,000, and secretary state board of health, \$2,500.

Dr. F. F. Westbrook, professor, \$2,000, and director board of health, \$2,000.

H. C. Carel, assistant professor, \$1,400, and chemist board of health, \$600.

John A. Hummel, assistant instructor, \$200, and assistant biologist, \$1,000.

Conway McMillan, professor, \$1,800, and state biologist, \$600.

H. F. Nachttrieb, professor, \$2,000, and state biologist, \$400.

Representative Fulton sent up two bills to repeal all laws in force relating to dairy inspection.

Mr. Gandrud has a bill for a state industrial school for girls, to take the place of the girls' department at the Red Wing school.

The house passed the Rider bill for an additional judge in the Seventh judicial district and the bill creating the new Nineteenth judicial district.

The judiciary committee introduced a bill designed to prevent corporations from employing lawyers at regular salaries and retaining all fees due such lawyers.

ANTI-CONTROL BOARD BILL.

Senator Comstock Presents Another One in the Senate.

Senator Comstock sent in a bill providing that after Aug. 1, 1903, the control of the university and state normal schools and of all financial matters relating thereto, be vested in the board of regents and the state normal board.

It means another chance for the anti-board of control folk in the case the Buck bill is defeated in the house.

Senator McNamee introduced a bill in the senate which provides for a board of jury commissioners. The bill only affects Ramsey county.

A resolution that the senate visit the state university was voted down.

A bill by Senator Wood designates the Itasca State park as a state institution and puts it under the management of the state board of control.

A bill by Senator Morgan would prohibit and make unlawful all boards of fire insurance underwriters in this state.

Senator Ed Smith introduced a bill appropriating \$5,000 to purchase an elaborate silver service to present to the battleship Minnesota.

A bill by Senator McGill authorizes city councils by a three-fourths vote to lay new sidewalk without waiting for a petition from property owners.

Senator Horton introduced a bill to appropriate \$500 for the relief of Oliver Martell for services rendered by him during the Sioux Indian outbreak of 1862.

By a vote of 26 to 18 the senate adopted Senator Thompson's motion to adjourn until Monday afternoon at 3 o'clock.

A bill by Senator Morgan provides for the appointment by the governor of a state board of steam boiler inspectors, one from each judicial district.

A joint committee will endeavor to arrive at an agreement on a date for adjournment.

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If you want Skirts that have the quality, the style, "high-class," try us; more perfectly fitting skirt for the "straight front" woman are not made.



SEVEN gore Walking Skirts, made from all wool, first twill cloth, seams bound, handsomely tailored, inverted pleated back, trimmed with two bias folds of same cloth, forming point at left hand front seam, held in place with covered buttons to match, guaranteed not to sag, worth a third more than our price.....

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Notice to Water Consumers.

A wheelman's tool bag isn't complete without a bottle of Dr. Thomas' Electric Oil. Heals cuts, bruises, stings, sprains. Monarch over pain.

Water rates for the second quarter 1903, are due April 1, 1903, and are payable at the company's office in the Columbian block. A discount of 10 per cent will be allowed consumers occupying houses used for residence purposes only, and having seven rooms or less, providing the rates are paid on or before April 21, 1903. The water will be shut off from all delinquent consumers after April 21, 1903.

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Ladies half fare any afternoon. Saturday from 1 to 4 p. m., ladies only at the Metropolitan Bowling alley.

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Laurel Streets.

WERE FOUND TO BE WRONG MEN

Grant and Sherman Rogers and Joseph Morency Taken to Pillager Last Night.

WERE NOT THE MEN WANTED

For the Brutal Assault on Napoleon Jermain the First of the Week.

Sheriff George Hardy, of Walker, passed through the city last night on his way to Pillager with the three men arrested at Aitkin a few nights ago on suspicion of being the men who had something to do with the brutal assault on Napoleon Jermain a mile west of Pillager the first of the week.

This noon the sheriff returned, but had only one of the three men with him that were taken to Pillager to be identified by Jermain, and this one, Grant Rogers, is to be held on a different charge entirely than the one for which he was arrested, the process of putting him through the sweat box having revealed the fact that he is the man who stole a suit of clothes from R. F. Walters' store the first of the week.

The three men arrested at Aitkin by the town marshal, assisted by Sheriff Erickson of this city, gave their names as Grant and Sherman Rogers and Joseph Morency.

The men were taken to Pillager so that N. Jermain could identify them, if they were the men who held him up. On seeing them he very quickly declared that they were not the men and they were exonerated of the charge.

Grant Rogers is, however, in limbo and will be held on a different charge. It seems that while the officers were questioning him as to his whereabouts on the day of the holdup, that he stated that he was in Brainerd working for R. F. Walters. Mr. Hardy telephoned to Mr. Walters to ascertain if such was the case. Mr. Walters answered to the affirmative and described the man in detail, giving the officer the gentle tip that the man glommed a suit of clothes before he got through bucking a cord of wood.

Rogers was brought to this city and turned over to the authorities. He will be brought before the proper tribunal for a hearing.

Working Overtime.

Eight hour laws are ignored by those tireless little workers—Dr. King's New Life Pills. Millions are always at work, night and day, curing indigestion, biliousness, constipation, sick headache and all stomach, liver and bowel trouble. Easy, pleasant, safe, sure. Only 25c at H. P. Dunn & Co's., drug store.

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BAKING CONTEST.

For the purpose of encouraging the use of **NEW GOLD FLOUR** among the best cooks of Brainerd, we have arranged to have a series of bread baking contests for prizes.

The first award will be made on the afternoon of March 14th, 1903, at the store of Big Brothers.

The second one on the afternoon of March 21st, 1903, at the store of Dahl & Engstrom.

The third on the afternoon of March 28th, 1903, at the store of Scandinavian Cooperative Mercantile Co.

The fourth on the afternoon of April 4th, 1903, at the store of Broderberg & Erickson.

The fifth on the afternoon of April 11th, 1903, at the store of A. Hoidquist.

The sixth on the afternoon of April 18th, 1903, at the store of Foreythe & Laing.

The judges will be chosen by a committee and the prizes, a fine Linen Table Cloth at each contest will be on exhibition for two weeks before the several contests, at the places where the contests are to be held. All are cordially invited to participate in the contests.

MORRIS CITY MILLS.

EUGENE COX SIGNS

On the List of Pitchers with the American Association Team at Louisville, Kentucky.

Papers from Louisville, Ky., announce the arrival in that city of Eugene Cox, brother of Editor Cox, of this city, who has signed for the season with the association team of that city as a pitcher. The writeup gives Cox a good send-off and also prints his portrait. Last year he was compelled to quit in the middle of the season on account of his health, but it is understood that he is in better condition than ever this year.

The Louisville Herald contained the following:

Eugene Cox, one of the new members of the pitching staff of the Louisville baseball team, yesterday joined the colony of players now here, which consists of Odwell, Kerwin, Bohannon and Hoffman. Cox arrived yesterday afternoon from St. Peter, Minn., and announced that he is ready to begin the season's work and expects to make a good showing with Tebeau's men. Cox says that he is in good condition now and will be ready to play ball with very little work.

Cox was with Des Moines in 1901 and with the Peoria team last season. He has a good drop ball and lots of speed and is expected to make good on the local staff of twirlers.

NEW BRIDGE AT FORT RIPLEY.

Senator Ferris Introduced a Bill Appropriating \$1000 to Help the Matter Along.

Senator A. F. Ferris has introduced a bill appropriating \$1,000 for a new bridge which is to be built across the Mississippi river at Ft. Ripley.

The old bridge at Little Falls, across the Mississippi, which collapsed, was to have been moved to Fort Ripley by Morrison county and the county commissioners of this county agreed to appropriate \$800 to assist in the reconstruction of the bridge, and Senator Ferris introduced the bill appropriating the \$1000 to cover the amount. The bill was referred to the roads and bridges committee of the senate.

I. S. W. A. Entertainment.

This evening the members of the I. S. W. A. will give a grand ball and entertainment in Gardner hall. The program for the entertainment is as follows:

Introductory Address.....Edward Engbretson
Address.....John Waaberg
Solo.....Mrs. C. Larson
Recitation.....Carl Olson
Humorous Selection.....M. Wenes
Solo.....Erick Peterson
Comedy....."Till Sater"
By the Norwegian Theatrical Co.

Reilly is giving 25 pounds of Sugar for \$1.00

Auction Sale.

An auction sale of live stock will be held at Princeton, Saturday, April 4th, 1903, including 200 head of farm mares and horses, 100 head of western horses, 100 angora goats, 500 Shropshire ewes and lambs, 50 milch cows, 25 head of full blood Galloway bulls, and also 500 head of stock cattle. E. MARK, Auctioneer.

Tragedy Averted.

"Just in the nick of time our little boy was saved," writes Mrs. W. Watkins of Pleasant City, Ohio. "Pneumonia had played sad havoc with him and a terrible cough set in besides. Doctors treated him, but he grew worse every day. At length we tried Dr. King's New Discovery for consumption, and our darling was saved. He's now sound, and well. Everybody ought to know it's the only sure cure for coughs, colds and all lung diseases. Guaranteed by H. P. Dunn & Co., druggist. Price 50c and \$1.00. Trial bottles free.

Something New for Brainerd.

Promenade concerts which are so popular in London and Paris are most enjoyable functions, and that which will take place in Gardner's hall on April 17 promises to be a genuine success. As this will be the first ever given in this city it is advisable perhaps to explain that there is no dancing at such entertainments. The audience will be seated during the first part of the program, consisting of eight numbers, which will be rendered by Miss Charlotte Hanlon, Miss Marion Halladay and Messrs. McCarthy.

After this the seats will be arranged in rows around the walls leaving the center of the hall free—its full length—for the promenade, where the audience can walk during the playing of a popular program by Fitch's orchestra, consisting of marches, operatic selections, etc. This concert should be well patronized. The admission will be 25 cents.

FARM ON THE HILL SOLD AT GOOD PRICE

J. S. Gardner Purchased the Aherns Farm Today Paying a Good Price per Acre.

HIGHEST POINT IN CROW WING.

The Farm Brought the Owners \$4800 in Cash—Some Talk of Gold There.

A deal has been consummated whereby J. S. Gardner has bought the Aherns farm on the hill the other side of the dam, composed of 120 acres, paying \$4800 for the parcel, or \$40 an acre.

This farm was owned by Chas. and Richard Aherns. It is said that indications of gold have been found there, but of course every piece of land that is sold in Crow Wing now is said to have gold or ore on it.

This parcel of land is an odd piece, in that it is said to be the highest point between Duluth and Fargo.

Mr. Gardner expects to farm the land.

WILL APPOINT OLD COMMISSION

No Meeting Except the Special Session of the Charter Commission Held During the Past Week.

The only session of the charter commission held during the past week was the special meeting on Tuesday evening, which was called for the purpose of hearing the report of the sewer committee, which report was embodied in the bill prepared and sent to Senator Ferris.

The six months term of the commission, as provided by law, has expired and the members cannot now transact business legally.

It is understood that Judge McClenahan will reappoint the same commission, and with this understanding the various committees are continuing the work so successfully inaugurated. Judge McClenahan will probably take the matter up in a few days.

W. F. Holst has just received two carloads of machinery and one of buggies. 252-13w1

OLD PRINTER DIES.

J. J. Ellsworth, at One Time with the Pioneer Press, Dies at the Home of His Son at Neutral.

J. J. Ellsworth, age 68 years, an old time printer in this state, having been with the Pioneer Press for years, died yesterday afternoon at the home of his son at Neutral, after an illness of several weeks.

The remains were brought to this city and the funeral will occur tomorrow afternoon at 1 o'clock, the Rev. S. W. Hover officiating. Interment will be made at Evergreen cemetery.

Every family should have its household medicine chest, and the first bottle in it should be Dr. Wood's Norway Pine Syrup, nature's remedy for coughs and colds.

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Extends Civil Service.

Washington, March 27.—President Roosevelt has issued an order extending to such large cities as may be agreed upon the registration system for laborers to the civil service outside of Washington, where it already has been established.

FORCE
Gives Vim and Vigor

MUSIC AND DRAMA.

"STETSON'S UNCLE TOM."

The survival of "Uncle Tom's Cabin" at the dawn of the 20th Century is something to marvel over, but it is an assured fact. The Stetson company in a new pictorial dress with up-to-date methods plentifully displayed throughout its half dozen acts, judging from the box office receipts, where ever this company plays, furnishes ample proof that "Uncle Tom's Cabin" is still potent.

Special scenery for every scene depicted, enlarged choruses of genuine negroes from the cotton belt, modern up-to-date specialties, two male quartettes and a most charming female quartette, a band of Alabama pickannies, a cakewalk in a pretty setting entitled "The Palace of Silver Mat," improved light effects and mechanical illusions will be seen in the Stetson production of this famous play.

The presenting company in some instances is a double one and in some instances contains the names of numerous favorites. The street parade is said to be the longest and best ever given by this company. The Stetson Company is booked at the Brainerd theatre next Thursday, April 2. Watch for the big street parade.

WHERE TO WORSHIP

St. Francis Catholic church: Early mass 8:30 a. m.; high mass 10:30 a. m.; Sunday school 2 o'clock p. m.; vespers and benediction 8 o'clock p. m.; mass on week days 7:30 a. m., except on Tuesdays and Saturdays, when mass is at St. Joseph's hospital. Rev. D. W. Lynch, pastor.

St. Paul's Episcopal church: Regular services at 10:30 in the morning, and 8:00 in the evening. Sunday school at 12 m. Holy communion at 9 o'clock on the first and third Sundays of each month. Rev. C. E. Farrar, rector.

Peoples Congregational church: Services at 10:45 a. m. and 7:30 p. m. Sunday school at noon; Y. P. S. C. E. at 6:45 p. m. Seats free. Everybody welcome. Strangers especially invited to all services. Rev. W. G. Marts, pastor.

First M. E. church: Morning service at 10:30 o'clock; Sunday school at 12. Evening service at 7:30. The choir and the "Apollo" quartette will sing. Epworth League devotional meeting at 6:30. Rev. J. Clulow, pastor.

First Baptist church: Morning service at 10:30; Sunday school at 12 m.; evening service at 8 o'clock. Rev. S. W. Hover, pastor.

Swedish M. E. church: Services in Bakkalla's Hall every Sunday at 10:30 and 7:45 p. m. Sunday school 12 m. Rev. N. P. Glemaker, pastor.

Swedish Baptist church: Morning service at 10:30; Sunday school at noon; Young People's Society meeting, 6:45; evening service, 7:45. Rev. A. A. Anderson, pastor.

Swedish Lutheran church: Morning service at 10:30; Sunday school at 12 m.; evening service at 8:00 o'clock.

Christian Scientists: Services every Sunday at 10:45 a. m., in the Columbian block, 3rd floor, hall to the right. All are welcome. Sunday school at 11:45 a. m.

Presbyterian church: Morning service at 10:30; Sabbath school at 12 m. Y. P. S. C. E., 6:30 p. m.; evening service, 7:30. Miss Anna Smith and Miss Josephine Millard, the evangelists, will have charge of the evening services.

Swedish Mission church, Cor. Maple and Ninth street south: Morning service at 10:45 a. m.; evening service at 7:30 p. m.; Sunday school at noon. Mid-week service on Thursday evening at 8 p. m. Rev. P. G. Fallquist, pastor.

First Congregational: Morning service at 10:30; evening service at 8. Sunday school at noon. Rev. Mr. Brown, of Minneapolis, will preach both morning and evening. Miss Evelyn Witheral is preparing special music for the day, and she will be assisted by Prof. James Mayhew, of Minneapolis, and Prof. Graham, of this city.

It Saved His Leg.

P. A. Danforth, of LaGrange, Ga., suffered for six months with a frightful running sore on his leg, but writes that Bucklen's Arnica Salve wholly cured it in five days. For Ulcers, wounds, Piles, it's the best salve in the world. Cure guaranteed. Only 25 cts. Sold by H. P. Dunn & Co., druggists.

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SECRETARY MAY TELLS CUBANS
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TO PREVENT RATIFICATION

Foreign Influences That Would Be In-
juriously Affected by the Measure
Are Working to Defeat It—Not Be-
lieved That the Effort Will Prove
Successful—Three Separate Reports
Before the Cuban Senate.

Washington, March 28.—Secretary
Hay has sent a warning to Cuba that
the slightest amendment of the Cuban
reciprocity treaty by the Cuban con-
gress, even that which proposes to
make its ratification conditional on
the treaty going into effect during the
current calendar year, certainly would
defeat the convention itself, since any
amendment must be submitted to the
United States senate, and before that
can be done the date fixed for the final
exchange of ratifications, March 31,
will have been passed.

Mr. Squiers, the United States min-
ister at Havana, has transmitted this
note to the Cuban foreign minister,
and he is hopeful that it will be suf-
ficient to curb the desire to amend the
treaty.

It is realized here that foreign in-
fluences in Havana which will be af-
fected injuriously by the treaty are
working upon Cuban pride to defeat
the ratification by attaching amend-
ments to the treaty. This was fully
expected and is regarded as within the
legitimate duties of diplomatic rep-
resentatives in such cases, but it is be-
lieved the efforts will prove unsuccess-
ful.

Havana, March 28.—Three separate
reports on the reciprocity treaty with
the United States were presented to
the senate by the foreign relations
committee. One signed by the chair-
man, Senor Bustamante, the president
of the senate, Senor Capote, and by
Senator Dolz, recommended the ap-
proval of all the amendments adopted
by the United States senate.

Both the minority reports were re-
jected by the senate. The majority
report will be discussed today, and it
is expected that it will be approved by
a small majority. Its provision re-
quiring the adoption of the treaty by
the United States congress before Dec.
1, however, is generally believed to be
fatal to the treaty.

CONSIDERS NECESSARY STEPS
Council of Ministers Discusses Deci-
sion of French Chamber.

Paris, March 28.—The council of
ministers has considered the steps to
be taken to carry out the decision of
the chamber of deputies refusing the
religious orders permission to remain
in France. Premier Combes, during
the next few days, will send an official
notification of the action of the cham-
ber to each of the congregations and
at the same time the minister of jus-
tice will apply to the courts to prose-
cute the congregations which refuse
to disband. The courts also will be
called upon to appoint liquidators to
take charge of the property of the dis-
solved orders. Each case will be
examined separately with a view to
considering any special circumstances
which may exist. The teaching or-
ders will be allowed to delay their
departure until the end of the school
year, in July, if no governmental
schools are available. When such
schools are available the orders must
wind up their affairs within one month.

KWANG SI REBELLION.

Chinese Government Giving It More
Attention.

Peking, March 28.—The tone of the
Official Gazette indicates that the
Chinese government is giving in-
creased attention to the rebellion in
Kwang Si province. An order has
been issued to General Mei, who was
dispatched months ago under an in-
junction to crush the disturbances, to
return to Peking and report immedi-
ately to the dowager empress, who de-
sires to learn the exact situation, the
reason for the complications and the
cause of his failure to carry out the
orders given to him.

Other edicts have appeared recently
for the correction of abuses which
are supposed to have caused the re-
bellion.

INCREASES DONATION.

Andrew Carnegie Gives Another Large
Sum to Pittsburgh.

Pittsburg, March 28.—Andrew Car-
negie has added \$150,000 to his lib-
rary donations in Pittsburgh. He made
it known through W. N. Frew, presi-
dent of the board of trustees, that he
would donate \$1,400,000 in addition
to the \$1,750,000 already given by him
to provide means for an addition to
the present Carnegie library and \$150,-
000 for the building of the new East
End branch library. This new gift of
Mr. Carnegie makes his contribution
to the greater institution \$5,000,000.

GERMAN EMPRESS INJURED.

Suffers Fracture of Her Wrist by Be-
ing Thrown From a Horse.

Berlin, March 28.—While the Ger-
man empress was galloping through
the Grunewald, a forest near Charlotten-
burg, her horse, startled by a doe
that ran across the path, shied and
threw her. The empress broke the
fall with her left arm, and one of the
bones snapped just above the wrist.
The arm was dressed and put into a
sling, and the empress was driven in
a carriage back to Berlin.

People Greatly Alarmed.

Chilpancingo, Mex., March 28.—A vi-
olent earthquake shock was experienced
here. There have been sharp shocks
at Acapulco, Oes Arroyos and other
points. The people here are greatly
alarmed.

BODY GOES TO SCOTLAND.

Remains of General MacDonald to Be
Buried There.

Paris, March 28.—The British consul
has issued a formal note announcing
that the body of Major General Sir
Hector MacDonald will be transported
to Scotland, where the funeral serv-
ices will take place. Lieutenant
Colonel Stuart Wortley has received
telegraphic instructions from the war
office in London to give every assis-
tance to the family in the removal of
the body to Scotland.

The official statement just issued
was intended to set at rest the pub-
lished reports that the body of Gen-
eral MacDonald was to be buried here.

LITTLE HOPE OF SETTLEMENT.

Arbitration Board Desires to Adjust
Wage Differences at Lowell.

Lowell, Mass., March 28.—Acting
under the law, the state board of ar-
bitration and conciliation formally re-
quested the mill agents and the tex-
tile council of Lowell to submit the
question of a wage increase in the cot-
ton mills of the city to arbitration, as
a means of averting a general strike
next Monday. Both sides have the re-
quest under consideration. Very
slight hope, however, is entertained by
the citizens of Lowell that the state
board's request will be granted.

DOMINICAN REVOLUTION.

General Caceres Says Uprising Is
Limited to the Capital.

New York, March 28.—The repre-
sentative of the republic of San Do-
mingo in this city received from Gen-
eral Caceres, governor of Santiago de
los Caballeros, the following cable-
gram:

"Revolution limited to capital
South and east of the island are with
the government. President Vasquez
with forces is due in capital now. The
northern part of the island is also
with the government."

PREPARING FOR TRIAL SPIN.

Mainsail of Shamrock III. Set for the
First Time.

Glasgow, March 28.—The mainsail
of the Shamrock III has been set for
the first time. Though loose, it ap-
peared to be a magnificent specimen
of sailmaking. It was a little short
on the spars, but not more than it
might be expected to stretch.

Sir Thomas Lipton says the first
trial spin of the challenger for the
America's cup positively will occur
today if the weather is favorable.

EXTRADITION OF WRIGHT.

Swearing of Depositions in Con-
nection Therewith in London.

London, March 28.—The swearing
of depositions at the Guildhall court in
connection with the extradition of
Whitaker Wright was held in Camera,
the witnesses being conducted sepa-
rately into the magistrate's private
room. It is understood that the pre-
liminary proceedings have now been
completed and the treasury applica-
tion for Whitaker Wright's extradi-
tion will be mailed at once.

Yanger Gets Decision.

Detroit, March 28.—Benny Yanger
of Chicago was given a well merited
decision by referee Siler over Hugh
McFadden of Brooklyn, after ten
rounds of fighting in the Metropolitan
Athletic club's arena, before 3,000
people. Yanger had clearly the bet-
ter of every round after the first.

TELEGRAPHIC BREVITIES.

Twenty persons were injured by the
derailment of a train near Thompson,
Ill.

Governor Taft of the Philippines is
slowly recovering from an attack of
dysentery.

The strike of the street car men at
Seattle, Wash., remains unchanged,
both sides standing firm.

A dispatch from Carupano, Venezue-
la, announces that Herr Mezger, the
German consul there, has accident-
ally killed himself.

Mayor McCandless of Victoria, B.
C., has received a dispatch from Presi-
dent Roosevelt declining an invitation
to visit that city on his Western tour.
The permanent postal treaty be-
tween the United States and Cuba is
now in course of negotiation and prob-
ably will be in operation within a few
weeks.

MARKET QUOTATIONS.

Minneapolis Wheat.

Minneapolis, March 27.—Wheat—
May, 72½¢; July, 72½¢. On track—
No. 1 hard, 75½¢; No. 1 Northern,
74½¢; No. 2 Northern, 73½¢.

Duluth Grain and Flax.

Duluth, March 27.—Wheat—To ar-
rive—No. 1 hard, 75½¢; No. 1 North-
ern, 73½¢; No. 2 Northern, 71½¢;
May, 73½¢; July, 73½¢. Flax—Cash,
\$1.11. To arrive and on track—\$1.12.

St. Paul Union Stock Yards.

St. Paul, March 27.—Cattle—Good
to choice steers, \$4.50@5.00; common
to fair, \$3.00@4.25; good to choice
cows and heifers, \$3.25@4.00; calves,
\$2.25@5.25. Hogs—\$6.75@7.45. Sheep
—Good to choice, \$6.00@6.50; lambs,
\$6.50@7.00.

Chicago Union Stock Yards.

Chicago, March 27.—Cattle—Good
to prime steers, \$5.00@5.50; poor to
medium, \$3.75@4.75; stockers and
feeders, \$2.75@4.85; cows, \$1.50@4.50;
heifers, \$2.50@4.75; calves, \$3.00@6.75.
Hogs—Mixed and butchers, \$7.20
@7.40; good to choice heavy, \$7.40@
7.60; rough heavy, \$7.15@7.40; light,
\$6.90@7.25. Sheep—Good to choice,
\$5.50@6.50; Western, \$5.50@6.50; na-
tive lambs, \$5.50@5.70; Western, \$5.50
@7.50.

Chicago Grain and Provisions.

Chicago, March 27.—Wheat—May,
72½¢@72½¢; July, 69½¢@69½¢; Sept.,
68½¢. Corn—March, 42½¢; May,
43½¢; July, 43½¢; Sept., 43½¢. Oats
—March, 32½¢; May, 33½¢; July,
30½¢@31¢; Sept., 28½¢. Pork—May,
\$18.00; July, \$17.20; Sept., \$16.95.
Flax—Cash, Northwestern, \$1.11;
Southwestern, \$1.09; May, \$1.13. But-
ter—Creameries, 18¢@27½¢; dairies,
14¢@24¢. Eggs—13¢. Poultry—Tur-
keys, 15¢@17¢; chickens, 10¢@13¢.

WANTS.

GIRL WANTED—Inquire at 910 Fir
street. 252

WANTED—People to know that the
Merchant's Hotel, St. Paul, is in
all respects first-class. Remodel-
ed and refurnished, and service the
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WANTED—Reliable man to travel for a
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right party. Send self addressed
envelope, Travelers' Department,
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ed. Write today. Moler Barber
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TISSUE MILL DESTROYED.

Fire at Carthage, N. Y., Threatens
Portion of the City.

Utica, N. Y., March 2.—Fire des-
troyed the store house of the Carthage
tissue mill at Carthage this morning.
It then communicated to the store-
house of Ryther & Pringle, filled with
hay. A strong west wind is blowing
and the Rome, Watertown and Ogdens-
burg railway station is now burning.
Sparks are setting small fires all over
the northern part of the town. Assis-
tance has been asked from Watertown.
No further details are to be had.

A HINT TO THE WISE.

This Advice Will Bear Repeating in
Brainerd.

"Don't chase shadows!"
Doubtful proof is but a shadow.
You can rely on testimony from
people you know.

You can readily investigate local
evidence.

Mrs. C. E. Burton, of Sixth street
south, says: "I had kidney complaint
and it clung to me for three or four
years. The kidneys did not secrete
freely, causing scantiness and some
pain. Across the small of my back
there was always aching which lamed
me so that when I got down it was a
severe effort for me to get up. When
we saw Doan's Kidney Pills adver-
tised I got a box and commenced
their use. From the first dose their
action was directly on the kidneys
and I was speedily aware of a marked
change for the better. At present
I enjoy much better health; the kid-
neys act normally and the backache
has left. This statement of the value
of Doan's Kidney Pills I will be glad
to corroborate to any inquiring
friends."

Sold for 50 cents a box, at H. P.
Dunn & Co. and all druggists. Fos-
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Cardui as I am very grateful
for his help. After my first
baby was born I could not
seem to regain my strength,
although the doctor gave me
a tonic which he considered
very superior, but instead of
getting better I grew weaker
every day. My husband
came home one evening with
some Wine of Cardui and in-
sisted that I take it for a week and see
what it would do for me. As he seemed
to have so much faith in it I did take the
medicine and was very grateful to find
my strength slowly returning. In two
weeks I was out of bed and in a month I
was able to take up my usual duties. I
am very enthusiastic in its praise."



hers, as are their ambitions,
triumphs and defeats.
Healthy women do not suf-
fer miscarriage nor does
a woman who is healthy
suffer tortures at childbirth.
It is the woman who is ail-
ing—who has female weak-
ness—who fears the ordeal
of becoming a mother. Wine
of Cardui builds up the wo-
manly in a woman. It stops
all unnatural drains and
strains—irregularities which are
responsible for barrenness and miscar-
riage. It makes a woman strong and
healthy and able to pass through pre-
gnancy and childbirth with little suffer-
ing. After the ordeal is passed the
Wine prepares a woman for a speedy
recovery to health and activity.

MOTHERHOOD is the noblest duty
and highest privilege women
can achieve or aspire to. With-
out this privilege women do not
get all there is in life—too often they
go through the world discontented,
wrapped up in their own selfish cares
and troubles. How different is the
happy mother, watching her children
grow into manhood and womanhood.
A mother lives as many lives as she has
children—their joys and sorrows are

Wine of Cardui, in re-inforcing the
organs of generation, has made mothers
of women who had given up hope of
ever becoming mothers. Wine of Cardui
will cure almost any case of barrenness
except cases of organic trouble. How
can you refuse to take such a remedy
that promises such relief from suffering?
Wine of Cardui simply makes you a
strong woman, and strong, healthy
women do not suffer. They look for-
ward to motherhood with joy.

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2:35.....Merrifield.....11:25	